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Bhutan: Rural Electrification Network Expansion

Project Name	Rural Electrification Network Expansion
Project Number	34374-013
Country	Bhutan
Project Status	Closed
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Loan
Source of Funding / Amount	**Loan 2009-BHU: Rural Electrification Network Expansion** Asian Development Fund — US$ 9.40 million **Loan: Rural Electrification Network Expansion** Japan International Cooperation Agency — US$ 1.70 million
Strategic Agendas	Environmentally sustainable growth Inclusive economic growth
Drivers of Change	
Sector / Subsector	**Energy** - Electricity transmission and distribution
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Some gender elements
Description	
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	
Impact	

Project Outcome	
Description of Outcome	
Progress Toward Outcome	
Implementation Progress	
Description of Project Outputs	
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)	
Geographical Location	Districts of Chhukha, Lhuentse, Mongar, Pemagatshel, Punakha, Samtse, Sarpang, and Trashigang.

Safeguard Categories	
Environment	B
Involuntary Resettlement	
Indigenous Peoples	

Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects
Environmental Aspects
Involuntary Resettlement
Indigenous Peoples
Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation
During Project Design

During Project Implementation

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Timetable	
Concept Clearance	07 May 2002
Fact Finding	28 Apr 2003 to 09 May 2003
MRM	02 Jul 2003
Approval	30 Sep 2003
Last Review Mission	-
PDS Creation Date	21 Nov 2006
Last PDS Update	31 Jul 2007

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Milestones					
Approval	**Signing Date**	**Effectivity Date**	**Closing**		
			Original	**Revised**	**Actual**
30 Sep 2003	15 Dec 2003	31 Mar 2004	31 Mar 2007	-	19 Dec 2006

Financing Plan		**Loan Utilization**			
	Total (Amount in US$ million)	Date	ADB	Others	Net Percentage
Project Cost	11.10	Cumulative Contract Awards			
ADB	9.40	30 Sep 2003	9.70	0.00	99%
Counterpart	0.00	Cumulative Disbursements			
Cofinancing	1.70	30 Sep 2003	9.76	0.00	100%

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